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In re application of:

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the requirements of 37 CFR §§1.56 and 1.97, the attention of the Examiner is directed to the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. A copy of each of the listed documents is attached. Neither this Statement nor the listing of these documents on Form PTO-1449 is an admission that these documents are prior art as to the Applicants or a representation that a search has been made or that no more pertinent documents exist.

The listed documents are discussed in the Summary of the Invention section of the present application.

The Applicants respectfully request that the attached

documents be considered by the Examiner and made of record in the referenced patent application.

Respectfully submitted,



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